

**Table 4. Virginia Incorporated Places with Population over 10,000, Ranked by July 1, 2002 Population: April 1, 2000 to July 1, 2002**

State Rank	Place	State	July 1, 2002 Population	July 1, 2001 Population	July 1, 2000 Population	April 1, 2000 Population Estimates Base	Census 2000 Population
1	Virginia Beach city	Virginia	433,934	429,223	426,674	425,257	425,257
2	Norfolk city	Virginia	239,036	235,446	234,456	234,403	234,403
3	Chesapeake city	Virginia	206,665	203,377	200,472	199,184	199,184
4	Richmond city	Virginia	197,456	197,762	197,477	197,790	197,790
5	Arlington CDP	Virginia	189,927	190,092	189,445	189,453	189,453
6	Newport News city	Virginia	180,272	179,596	180,106	180,150	180,150
7	Hampton city	Virginia	145,921	145,872	146,494	146,437	146,437
8	Alexandria city	Virginia	130,804	130,828	129,229	128,283	128,283
9	Portsmouth city	Virginia	99,790	99,819	100,428	100,565	100,565
10	Roanoke city	Virginia	93,873	94,593	94,761	94,911	94,911
11	Suffolk city	Virginia	69,966	66,741	64,243	63,677	63,677
12	Lynchburg city	Virginia	64,616	64,849	65,245	65,269	65,269
13	Danville city	Virginia	47,596	47,773	48,256	48,411	48,411
14	Charlottesville city	Virginia	43,833	44,008	45,075	45,049	45,049
15	Harrisonburg city	Virginia	40,909	40,713	40,357	40,453	40,468
16	Blacksburg town	Virginia	40,108	39,988	39,561	39,573	39,573
17	Manassas city	Virginia	37,288	36,070	35,410	35,135	35,135
18	Petersburg city	Virginia	33,115	33,283	33,574	33,740	33,740
19	Leesburg town	Virginia	31,584	30,206	28,731	28,311	28,311
20	Salem city	Virginia	24,836	24,629	24,781	24,747	24,747
21	Winchester city	Virginia	24,228	24,068	23,664	23,585	23,585
22	Staunton city	Virginia	23,635	23,595	23,840	23,853	23,853
23	Hopewell city	Virginia	22,525	22,326	22,379	22,354	22,354
24	Fairfax city	Virginia	22,055	21,896	21,596	21,498	21,498
25	Herndon town	Virginia	22,000	21,871	21,776	21,662	21,655
26	Waynesboro city	Virginia	20,134	19,766	19,599	19,520	19,520
27	Fredericksburg city	Virginia	20,076	19,798	19,316	19,279	19,279
28	Christiansburg town	Virginia	17,545	17,288	17,002	16,948	16,947
29	Bristol city	Virginia	17,118	17,326	17,296	17,367	17,367
30	Colonial Heights city	Virginia	17,063	16,997	16,920	16,897	16,897
31	Radford city	Virginia	15,670	15,798	15,822	15,859	15,859
32	Martinsville city	Virginia	15,263	15,369	15,381	15,416	15,416
33	Vienna town	Virginia	14,855	14,754	14,533	14,453	14,453

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34	Front Royal town	Virginia	13,894	13,709	13,625	13,589	13,589
35	Williamsburg city	Virginia	11,693	11,936	12,001	11,998	11,998
36	Poquoson city	Virginia	11,686	11,535	11,589	11,566	11,566
37	Manassas Park city	Virginia	10,909	10,766	10,340	10,290	10,290
38	Falls Church city	Virginia	10,659	10,589	10,441	10,377	10,377
39	Culpeper town	Virginia	10,138	9,909	9,708	9,664	9,664

Note: The April 1, 2000 Population Estimates Base reflects modifications to the Census 2000 population as documented in the Count Question Resolution program, updates from the Boundary and Annexation Survey, and geographic program revisions. An "(X)" in the Census 2000 field indicates a locality that was formed or incorporated after Census 2000 or was erroneously omitted from Census 2000. Additional information on these localities can be found in the Geographic Change Notes (see "boundary changes" under the Geographic Topics section of the Estimates page).

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